LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY**, **SEPTEMBER 21**, **2004**, upon the application of **CYPRESS OPERATING**, **INC**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Cotton Valley Formation**, **Reservoir A**, in the West Lisbon Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana.

- 1.To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for CV RA SUO, in exception to the spacing provisions of the 334-E- Series of Office of Conservation Orders, such unit and well shown on the plat submitted with the application.
- 2.To find that additional alternate unit well is needed on the CV RA SUO to assist in the drainage of the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, that cannot be drained by any other well located within the unit.
- 3. To permit the unit operator to produce the assigned unit allowable from the unit well, alternate unit wells or from a combination of all wells at its discretion.
- 4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the West Lisbon Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 334-E, effective July 23, 1982, and as amended by Office of Conservation Order No. 334-E-1, effective March 15, 1983.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana. www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 8/30/04;9/02/04 S tm

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASEADVISETHE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION ATP.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.